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<b>Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b> 10/642,395	<b>Applicant(s)</b> CHU ET AL.	
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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☒ Yes e) ☐ No.  
If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Green.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The applicant argued Green does not have a pusher tube (especially tubular portion of the claim) or a pushing mechanism as described. The arguments seem persuasive. The examiner will update the search upon receiving a response.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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